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| IN RE APPLICATION OF: |) | |
| |) | Examiner: |
| FILED: Hiroyuki Ichiba |) | ALTUN, Nuri B. |
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| SERIAL NO: 10/525,159 |) | |
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| FOR: TRANSMISSION BELT AND INDICATION) |) | |
| APPARATUS FOR INDICATING THE) |) | |
| END OF LIFE OF TRANSMISSION BELT) |) | |

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Examiner ALTUN:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 27, 2009, please enter the following remarks and claim amendments and Request for Continuing Examination in the subject case. No amendment is made to the specification and drawings.

Claims begin on page 2.

Record of Interview is on page 6.

Remarks begin on page 7.